

TRAIN ARRIVALS

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CURRY WANTS SUPPORT OF TERRITORIAL OFFICIALS

Expects Them to Back Up Republican Party in New Mexico as Well as Nationally.

LEGISLATORS SHOULD NOT BE APPOINTED

New Executive Will Make Few Changes at Least For Present But Expects Loyalty From Those Holding Commissions Under Him.

Santa Fe, Aug. 13.—(Special.)—Governor Curry last evening outlined a feature of his administration in no uncertain language to a representative of the Citizen who called to see him.

"There are going to be few removals—at least for the present," said the new executive, "but there is one thing that I wish no mistake about. I SHALL EXPECT THE UNQUALIFIED, HONEST AND SINCERE SUPPORT FOR BOTH THE TERRITORIAL AND NATIONAL REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION FROM EVERY OFFICIAL HOLDING OFFICE OR COMMISSION UNDER MY REGIME IN THIS TERRITORY."

Means Every Word.

The way in which the new governor made the above statement and the manner in which he emphasized each word, showed that he would see that it was complied with in so far as he has power.

"Personally, I do not approve of the appointment of members of a legislature to office," he continued, "because I do not consider it conducive to honesty or to good government. At the same time, as I stated before, I am not going to make any changes at this time and my actions in the future will be governed to a great extent by developments."

Officials Must Work.

"However, when I place a man in office under a republican administration, I expect him to support that administration and that party just as religiously as I expect him to give his whole heart and his whole efforts to wards making the people a good, honest, capable and efficient official. Whenever he can not conscientiously support such administration or does not care to do so for other reasons, then he certainly has no right to a position of trust under a regime in which he is not in sympathy. Briefly, those are my views on the subject."

"I am for the best government that can be had and the square deal and I feel sure it can be had better under republican administration such as Roosevelt has outlined than under any other that I see upon the political horizon at present."

Rare Executive Ability.

Governor Curry has rare executive ability. While he has been unable to settle down to steady work because of the constant stream of visitors to the executive office, he has nevertheless obtained a good insight into the affairs of his own and other territorial offices.

Roosevelt Man.

The new governor is an enthusiastic Roosevelt man and he is constructed along similar lines to the president. He is a man of action rather than words but he can make good use of both upon occasion.

Governor Curry did not care to discuss resignations at this time. Street reports, however, are to the effect that quite a number have been tendered for acceptance at his pleasure.

With the exception of the attorney general, he has not made any changes and the indications are that he will not give the matter of appointments much attention for a few weeks longer.

STABBED SWEETHEART OVER TRIVIAL INCIDENT

Girl Thought He Was Slightly Injured But He Died.

St. Louis, Mo., August 13.—Theresa Sullivan, aged 29 years, a pretty girl who surrendered to the police last night admitting that she had stabbed her sweetheart, Michael Landers, a young business man, in a quarrel, broke down today when informed that he died during the night.

He failed to keep an appointment to take Miss Sullivan and her sister to a summer garden, and when she unbraided him later for permitting a glass of beer to come between him and his appointments, he attempted to strike her. She stabbed him in the left breast and immediately walked to a police station and surrendered, though she did not believe he was badly hurt. He died five hours later.

ALBUQUERQUE CITIZEN

"WE GET THE NEWS FIRST"

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 13, 1907.

WEATHER FORECAST

Denver, Col., August 13—Fair tonight; showers Wednesday.

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MOROCCOAN SITUATION BECOMING MORE SERIOUS

Gathering of Tribes Around Towns Causes Fear of Terrible Massacre.

CITY OF TANGIER IS THREATENED HOURLY

Repeated Attacks on French Soldiers Repulsed Thus Far—Sultan Fearing For His Life Has Fled Into Interior.

Paris, August 13.—The situation in Morocco today is the most serious that has confronted civilization since the Boxer trouble in China in 1900. Unlike the Chinese of that day, the Moors are well armed, and these cruel, wild Arabs of the desert are the most fearless fighters in the world.

All reports indicate a gathering of the tribes, not only from the interior of Morocco but from the entire north border of the Sahara desert.

They are making mostly for Tangier, the metropolis of Morocco, located in the Mediterranean, outside of which are already gathered thousands of fierce Mohammedan horsemen, chanting from their Koran, preaching a "holy war" and thirsting for the blood of the hundreds of Christians and Jews in Tangier.

The city could not be defended an hour against these fanatics once they made the plunge, and the powers are expecting to hear momentarily that a charge has been made.

Every arriving steamer brings stories of fresh attacks made upon and repulsed by Gen. Drude's troops. Details are conflicting, but generally they agree. After a heavy attack on the camp Drude in person established a post of 200 men east of the city to prevent horsemen charging the landing place. This post was repeatedly attacked throughout the day. Advanced posts also were stationed to cover the city side, while the fleet protected the side toward Rabat. Several charges were beaten off. The tribesmen in large masses approached the city and that party just as religiously as I expect him to give his whole heart and his whole efforts to wards making the people a good, honest, capable and efficient official. Whenever he can not conscientiously support such administration or does not care to do so for other reasons, then he certainly has no right to a position of trust under a regime in which he is not in sympathy. Briefly, those are my views on the subject.

The passengers say deeds of gallantry among the troops were numerous.

The Moors also displayed a courage which astonished the officers. Although mowed down by quick-firers and volleys from the infantry for four days, they returned to the charge, showing extraordinary disdain for death.

There is a persistent rumor here, which comes from Moorish sources and cannot be confirmed, that the sultan has left Fez for Rabat and traveling by forced marches, has arrived at Mazagan.

There is still much uncertainty as to the progress that has been made in the negotiations for the release of Sir Harry MacLean. There are rumors

France and Spain Are Guarding Tangier With Warships and Troops of Cavalry



View of the city of Tangier, which is threatened with the most dreadful massacre of a century.

"JAPAN IS A DESPOT IN KOREA" SAYS STONE

United States Senator After Personal Visit to Seoul, Talks.

HE SEES MAILED FIST IN SIGHT EVERYWHERE

Seoul, Korea, August 13.—William J. Stone, United States senator from Missouri, who has been in Seoul a week studying conditions here, has given his views of the situation. He has had an interview with Korea's deposed emperor and with the new ruler. Senator Stone, in summing up the situation, said:

"From the Korean standpoint, the situation is pathetic. For the first time in my life I have seen the mailed hand of foreign power raised ruthlessly over a conquered people."

"One emperor has been forced to vacate to make place for a weakling and both are held in practical imprisonment by their conqueror. There is an armed Japanese force about the palace and the Koreans are denied the right of communication with the palace, all save the suppliant ministers who are doing the bidding of Marquis Ito and who dare not show themselves in the streets of Seoul without a Japanese military guard."

"No man, Korean or follower, can have an audience with the emperor except by permission of and in the presence of Marquis Ito. The emperor and his father are prisoners in their own palace and Marquis Ito is the real ruler, the government is despotic and one of foreigners upheld by military force. The purpose of the Japanese is to appropriate Korea and make it the gateway for an encroachment. The policy of Japan is unexampled in modern times."

"But history is surely being made here which reaches far beyond the confines of this country and affects for more than the destiny of this unhappy empire. Some day there will be a reckoning."

Constant Watching Necessary to Protect Moroccan Cities.



that a hitch has occurred in the negotiations. Letters received here from Fez state that the sultan upon learning of the intentions of the French and Spanish to occupy Casa Blanca became seriously alarmed and said that such a step would lead to a revolution throughout Morocco and endanger the lives of all Europeans.

Throne Insecure.

In the meantime, the sultan, Abd-el-Aziz, is seated on the most insecure throne in the world. His arch enemy Raisuli, is still fighting him and may be able to unite the fanatical tribes

INCREASE OF FORCE ON SCENIC HIGHWAY

Santa Fe, N. M., August 13.—Superintendent Marion Littlefield, of the territorial penitentiary, with a number of guards, today took a detachment of twenty convicts to Las Vegas, where they will be put to work on the east end of the Scenic Highway.

This will increase the force on the Scenic Highway to fifty men and the work will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

NEW GOVERNOR WILL OPEN SOCORRO COUNTY FAIR

Invitation Extended by Mayor and Prominent Citizens to George Curry.

BIGGEST EVENT OF KIND IN YEARS

Socorro, N. M., August 13.—(Special.)—One of the first social events in which the new governor, George Curry, will participate, will be the Socorro county fair to be held at the county seat of Socorro, September 28 to 30, inclusive.

In response to an invitation from Mayor H. O. Bureau, and a number of the prominent men of Socorro county, the new governor will formally open the Socorro county fair with a speech.

The citizens of Socorro are making elaborate preparations for the fair and particularly for the entertainment of the new governor when he visits that city.

The Socorro county fair will be bigger than ever, and there will be a larger number of attractions than have ever been seen there before.

The displays will also be on a larger scale than ever before and there is more money available for prizes.

Excursions will be run to Socorro from Albuquerque and from points to the south of this city and a large attendance is expected.

Socorro will be handsomely decorated, even the residences presenting a festive appearance.

There will be several bands present and Curry Day, the day upon which the fair opens, will be one of the features of the week in this place.

The new governor will receive an ovation, second only to that of his inauguration.

In addition to the usual attractions at the fair there will be racing and base ball. The local team will meet all of the best teams in the territory and expects to put up a hard fight for the honors of the occasion.

TAFT CONFERS WITH ROOSEVELT ON CAMPAIGN

He Refuses to Say Whether He Will Resign Secretaryship.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., August 13.—Secretary Taft called on the president today and held a last conference before leaving for the Philippines. It is understood that the coming national campaign was the chief topic. After the conference Taft refused to confirm or deny the report that he will resign the secretaryship to become a candidate for the presidency.

It is known, however, that the president and his favorite cabinet officer talked over the situation fully and that a decision was arrived at which will be announced not sooner than on Taft's return from his trip to the Philippines and on around the world. It will be at least three months before the secretary's intention concerning his resignation is known, as he will certainly remain in office to fulfill the president's wishes regarding his trip to the Philippines.

ARRESTED FOR KILLING OF EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO

Murder of Praying Penitentes May Yet Be Avenged.

SUSPECT BROUGHT HERE FOR SAFE KEEPING

Mounted Policeman G. F. Murray, stationed at Kettner, Valencia county, arrived in the city this morning from Grants, N. M., with Octoviano Talles, who is charged with committing a murder at San Rafael, N. M. Talles was placed in the Bernalillo county jail for safe keeping.

According to Officer Murray, Talles shot and killed a 17-year-old boy by the name of Marques at San Rafael on Christmas night, 1890. The killing took place at a meeting of Penitentes, and was the result of a quarrel over Talles not taking his hat off in the meeting place where the Penitentes were praying. Talles invited Marques out of the church to settle the quarrel. The boy accepted the challenge and Talles shot him as he came out of the door of the church.

Talles claimed self defense at the time because Marques had a pistol in his hand as he came out of the church. After the killing, however, it was found that the gun the dead boy held in his hand when he fell had no loads in it.

Talles was arrested at the time and taken to the Valencia county jail, from which place he escaped while awaiting trial and made his way into Mexico before the officers could recapture him.

Recaptured.

About two months ago Talles returned to San Rafael, where he has a large number of relatives living. The mounted police learned of his return, and Murray was commissioned to investigate the case and ascertain if possible if any witnesses of the killing could be found, and if they were still to be had, arrest Talles. Several witnesses were found to still live in San Rafael and the capture was effected last Sunday morning between 5 and 6 o'clock.

Officer Murray went to San Rafael Saturday night under cover of darkness, so as not to scare his prospective captive away, and went to the house where Talles was staying early in the morning Sunday. Talles had just gotten up and was coming around the house bareheaded as the officer called.

Officer Murray says that he pulled his gun on the alleged murderer just as a matter of precaution, and the capture was effected without any trouble whatever.

Talles says that he has been in Mexico most of the time since he left the country, but declines to discuss the killing with which he is charged.

HEAT KILLS THREE MEN IN ST. LOUIS

St. Louis, Mo., August 13.—The hottest day for six years caused intense suffering, three deaths and fifteen cases of prostration in St. Louis and its suburbs yesterday. The maximum of 95 was reached at 4 p. m. and lasted for only an hour. Up to noon the weather, while not hot enough to be uncomfortable, did not reach the danger point. At noon the mercury was 92. Then it rose 2 degrees an hour—92 at 1 o'clock, 94 at 2 o'clock, 96 at 3 o'clock, and the high temperature point for six years was reached at 4 o'clock was recorded.

DRUG CLERK TAKES HIS OWN LIFE

Kansas City, Mo., August 13.—Henry H. Fletcher, 35 years old, a drug clerk, of 2902 Lynn avenue, committed suicide in his home at midnight last night by drinking laudanum. He died a half hour later in a police ambulance while being taken to the general hospital. He leaves a widow and a son 4 years old. Fletcher had been drinking heavily for several days and had told several acquaintances that he intended to end his life.

NO AGREEMENT TO END STRIKE CAN BE REACHED

Commissioner Neill Admits That Conference With Leaders Amounts to Nothing.

TELEGRAPH BUSINESS WHOLLY CRIPPLED

Operators Expect to Carry on Walkout Policy Until Companies Accord to Their Demands. Local Offices Are Still Handling Business.

At Chicago today, Commissioner Neill, of the bureau of labor, department of commerce and labor, admitted that the end of the strike is not in sight and that a conference of leaders today has had no results whatever. He tacitly admits that the strike promises to be of long duration.

Local Situation.

The local union telegraphers who worked for the Postal Telegraph company two in number, have quit work and only Messrs. Hawkins, whose position was not included in the strike order, is on duty.

He says he is handling quite a lot of business with the big cities, but owing to the handicap caused by the large number of men off there, he is not unusually busy and consequently does not miss the retiring strikers to any extent at present. Business will not show up nearly as well for the month.

At the Western Union offices the condition is about the same as yesterday. The arrival of messages is not large and all business is taken subject to delay, as is also the case with messages over the Postal lines.

Condition Worse.

Throughout the country conditions are not improved; in fact, they are less satisfactory than yesterday. The Associated Press operators are all out and in commercial offices but few men are working, most of them being wire chiefs and student operators. In many cases where men have gone to work they have later changed their minds and joined the strikers.

The president does not expect that he can afford to enter into negotiations for arbitration, but Commissioner Neill is working to effect that end.

No Settlement in Sight.

Chicago, August 13.—General Secretary Russell, of the telegraphers' union, predicts that before night, the strike will be general throughout the United States and Canada. Labor Commissioner Neill, President Gompers and other leaders conferred today with the idea of arranging some manner of settling the strike. Neill declared that there is no immediate indication of a settlement.

Funds Insufficient.

Officers of the local telegraphers' union assured the operators, who crowded the local headquarters today, that if they remained out the companies will be forced to meet their demands. Some thousands of dollars said the union's funds are insufficient for a protracted strike, but they are depending on aid from the allied unions.

Have Some Employees.

New York, August 13.—While the striking telegraphers claim that their strike will be successful, the officials of the Western Union and Postal companies state today that they are handling business rapidly and that a number of men are returning to work. No disorders are reported today.

Operators Out at Boston.

Boston, Mass., August 13.—At a signal at 11 o'clock this morning, 55 telegraphers of the Western Union and Postal companies walked out, leaving about half the force, walked out. The Western Union operators expect to follow suit.

O. R. T. Comes to Aid.

San Francisco, Cal., August 13.—The National Order of Railway Telegraphers has swung the enormous strength of its membership and treasury to the support of the striking commercial telegraphers, who in practically every railroad station in the United States and Canada, today the following message from the national secretary of the order was received:

"St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 11, 1907. To All O. R. T. Men in the United States and Canada:

"Do not handle any Western Union business. We are backing Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America financially and are giving them our support. This is a critical point in the history of the Postal Telegraph. Spread this to every railroad station you possibly can.

(Signed) "L. W. QUICK," National Secretary of O. R. T."

CONFERENCE MAY CONCLUDE STRIKE

Denver, Colo., August 13.—It has been formally agreed that the Denver and Rio Grande conference with the switchmen, on which the fate of the switchmen's strike depends, will be held tomorrow morning. Vice President Parker of the Colorado and Southern, has at last agreed to take part in a conference of the western roads on the two cent differential and abide by the result.

Coroner Will Investigate.

Boulder, Colo., August 13.—Coroner Buchheit has summoned a jury to investigate the deaths of the three men who died as the result of injuries received in the dynamite explosion during the fire Saturday morning which destroyed the C. & A. freight depot and twenty-five loaded and empty freight cars.

WOMAN'S NERVE SAVED CALIFORNIA LIMITED

Awakened by Sound of Failing Bridge She Rushed to Stop the Train.

ENGINE ALMOST REACHED WASHOUT

Her Bonfire Beside Track Resulted in Hundred Passengers Escaping Injury and Death in Swollen Stream Beneath a Trestle.

Kansas City, Mo., August 13.—Mrs. Minnie Houdeshell and her husband, an Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe section worker, lit in a tent beside the railroad tracks three miles west of Ethel, Mo., a small town on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe near Marceline and about 124 miles east of Kansas City. They were asleep in their canvas home when about 3:30 the woman was awakened by a crash. It flashed through her mind in an instant what the crash meant.

"The bridge," she thought. "Not far from the tent a bridge spans a ravine. Mrs. Houdeshell ran to it and saw that the west stone abutment had crumbled and fallen into the ravine. The steel girders and the frame work supporting the tracks were in a perilous position. The ravine is seventy-five feet deep and about sixty feet across. With the ties clinging to them the tracks still stretched across the ravine so that the engineer on an approaching train could not have seen that the supports of the structure were gone."

The Limited Was Due.

It was almost time for the California Limited, one of the fastest trains on the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe system, to pass over the trestle on its way to Chicago. Knowing this and thinking of the accident that would result, Mrs. Houdeshell hurriedly gathered some dry sticks and built a fire on the tracks near the west end of the trestle. Then she awakened her husband and sent him with a lantern in the direction from which the train would approach. Houdeshell had just started when the train rounded a curve 400 yards from the structure. The engineer saw the fire, but was unable to stop the train until it was within fifty feet of the ravine.

Dr. W. H. Haviland, who lives at 1232 Central avenue, West side, a passenger on a west bound train that arrived at the scene several hours after the bridge had fallen.

She Only Had Five Minutes.

The California Limited had 350 passengers aboard and it was scarcely five minutes after the woman found the cavern when the train was stopped by the bonfire. When the passengers awoke and saw the wreckage across the ravine, they were crazy. The headline on the engine would not have shown the true condition of the train. It would have appeared to be perfectly safe.

"Men gave Mrs. Houdeshell money until she had more gold and silver than she could carry in her hands. She wrapped it up in a cloth and when she counted it at 7 o'clock in the morning she had more than \$500."

Edward H. Lewis, a traveling salesman from Plymouth, Mich., who was on the train, started a petition that will be presented to the company asking that Mrs. Houdeshell be suitably rewarded.

Heavy Rains Caused It.

The collapse of the bridge was due to the heavy rains of the last few days in that vicinity. The supports were apparently becoming weakened under the masonry, causing it to sink. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe used the tracks of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy yesterday and last night to Galesburg, Ill., but it was thought that their own service would be restored by this morning.

BED CLEANING CAUSES A \$26,000 FIRE LOSS

St. Louis, August 13.—The new building occupied by O. Solomon, whose family resided on the upper floors, together with five adjoining buildings occupied by Jewish families, were destroyed by fire today. The fire was started by a lighted cigarette, which Solomon took into a room where his wife was cleaning a bed with gasoline. His hair and mustache were burned off and his wife was badly burned before they escaped from the room. The total loss is \$26,000.

CLAIMS THAT LAW IS UNCONSTITUTIONAL

Maldonado, August 13.—(Special.)—Solomon Montoya, who was arrested in Albuquerque last Sunday on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, was tried before the justice of the peace here today and fined \$50 and costs. The case will be appealed, it being held that chapter 37, of the territorial statutes of 1905, under which the sentence was passed, has been ruled unconstitutional by the district court.